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COLONEL WILL NOT BOLT PARTY

ROOSEVELT MAKES EMPHATIC DENIAL OF REPORT PUBLISHED IN MORNING PAPERS.

THE PRIMARY A FARCE

In Stinging Speech Roosevelt Charges Opponents Used Fraud and Trickery in Election.

By Associated Press.
St. Louis, Mo., March 28.—Reports published this morning that Roosevelt had bolted the Republican party if not nominated at a flat denial from the Colonel. In his denial the former president qualified a number of persons to membership in the Annals Club.

Roosevelt Bitter.

Chicago, Ill., March 28.—Col. Roosevelt's most stinging campaign speech thus far was delivered here last night. He lashed his opponents and charged some of them with using fraud and trickery to defeat him.

Col. Roosevelt said it was a fighting speech. It was delivered before a throng which packed the auditorium and cheered him enthusiastically. The primaries in New York yesterday furnished the text, and he cited a number of instances in which he said his opponents had resorted to improper practices to defeat him.

He expressed belief that in the great majority of districts of the country the people were with him and that the opposition was attempting to defeat him by methods which he characterized as "infamous." Part of the speech was devoted to "big business." He opposed our present policy of chaos, and gave his own ideas of the methods which should be pursued to insure strict regulation of large corporations.

Chicago gave the former President a lively welcome. Crowds cheered him at the station when he arrived, and wherever he appeared during the three hours of his stay here. The auditorium was not large enough to hold the crowd. Though there were two other meetings, many persons who wished to hear Col. Roosevelt did not.

Two hours before the auditorium was opened a crowd had gathered at the doors. A line of persons four abreast was formed and grew until it extended for two blocks in each direction. When the Colonel entered the people rose with a cheer. For two minutes the cheering continued, and during his speech he was frequently interrupted by applause.

During his brief stay in Chicago Col. Roosevelt found time to meet his leaders in Illinois and several political workers in Chicago.

Col. Roosevelt turned aside from his prepared speech from time to time. In one of his sallies he discussed the statements of his opponents that he hopes to be dictator.

"There is not much danger to the people," he said, "from a man who can do nothing unless he can persuade them that what he wants is right. I am going to make one remark. I have often been tempted to make, but never have made before. Occasionally my gloomy foes have said that I wanted to be King. I wanted to answer that they did not know Kings, and I did. I like the Kings I have met, but I don't want to be one, because the function of those Kings expressed in the terms of democracy, would be the position of Vice President for life, with the leadership of the 'Four Hundred' thrown in. I think there are other jobs that a full-sized man would prefer."

"Big Business" and the control of corporations were discussed by Col. Roosevelt in a speech which he delivered here last night. Mr. Roosevelt entitled his address "A Charter of Business Prosperity." He said that the Government trust prosecutions in the oil and tobacco cases had not accomplished nothing of real worth. "The present policy of chaos can not permanently continue," said Col. Roosevelt. He asserted that there should be "absolute clearness of

law," and spoke in favor of a "competent administrative body, an Interstate Commission, or something of the kind, which would do for the world of industrial production what the Interstate Commerce Commission is doing for the world of industrial transportation.

"As regards prosperity," said Col. Roosevelt, "there are two things to remember—first, that there must be division of prosperity so that all shall benefit, and second, that there can be no such division of prosperity unless the prosperity is there to divide."

"It is curious to see how often the extremists on both sides combine against the sane and moderate men who are striving to fight a real battle for justice. I use the word 'moderate' advisedly, for the violent self-styled conservative is just as wild an extremist as the most violent of the self-styled extreme radicals. The small business man and the honest big business man are alike interested in securing a definite settled and clearly defined Governmental policy about business. The great law-breaking trusts, on the other hand, object much more to a definite, and clearly-settled policy of Governmental Control than they do to the policy of make-believe extinction.

"I want to do full justice to the big business man, but I also want to do full justice to the small business man and the middle-sized business man. It should be the policy of the Government clearly to define and punish wrong-doing, to give in advance full information to every man just what he can and what he can not legally do."

ABANDON HOPE AVERTING STRIKE

COMMISSIONER NEILL FAILS TO BRING AGREEMENT BETWEEN OPERATORS AND MINERS.

WILL BE NATION WIDE

Government Official Will Endeavor to Bring Miners and Operators into Another Conference.

By Associated Press.
Cleveland, Ohio, March 28.—Hope of averting a nation-wide coal strike has practically been abandoned, this afternoon, the miners and operators falling to agree.

Commissioner Neill in Cleveland, Ohio, March 28.—Fear of a general suspension of coal mining in both the anthracite and bituminous coal fields, President Taft has deputized Dr. Charles P. Neill, Commissioner of Labor, to look into the situation and use his influence to avert a conflict.

Dr. Neill is now in this city and has held active conference with John P. White, president of the United Mine Workers, and John Dempsey and John Fahey, leaders in the anthracite fields. Neill is known to have great influence with both operators and miners. The Commissioner of Labor has endeavored to keep his presence in this city a secret and chose a hotel not frequented by either miners or operators.

When seen last night Neill declared he was here looking up records in a railroad dispute. In spite of Neill's refusal to talk it is known positively that his mission here is to bring about another conference between the anthracite coal operators and the miners, and, if possible, to avert a strike.

That a conference can be arranged before April 1 is hardly expected because the policy committee of the United Mine Workers is awaiting some definite move in the bituminous conference here before acting.

Another indication of the Government's interest in the situation is found in the presence here of Daniel J. Keefe, Commissioner General of Immigration. Keefe held a conference with Neill last night when the mining situation was discussed. That a break or an agreement will be reached today in the bituminous coal situation was the confident prediction last night.

The miners will modify their demands and present them in the form of a final ultimatum, and there is a probability that they will be accepted by the operators.

Preparing For Long Strike.

Newcastle, Texas, March 28.—The miners here are anxiously awaiting news of the conference between their representatives and the operators of the Southwestern district. The men are preparing for a long strike.

Senator Taylor Operated On.

By Associated Press.
Washington, March 28.—Senator Taylor of Tennessee was successfully operated on today for the removal of gall stones.

PROFESSIONAL EXTERMINATOR



"Professor" Louis Hirsch is the latest and most unique of the federal government employees. He is rated on the payroll as a "professional exterminator." His job is to rid the capitol of its rats, mice and other vermin.

MURDER CASE DISMISSED VICTIM STILL ALIVE

Dallas, Texas, March 28.—"State of Texas, vs. Geo. Bates, murder." "Case dismissed for reasons that the deceased is alive."

Such is the unusual record now on the docket of the criminal district court. This was docketed by Judge Seay this morning when Assistant County Attorney Wilson presented the motion to dismiss the case on the grounds that deceased was alive.

The grand jury in Judge Seay's court returned an indictment against Bates several weeks ago, charging him with the murder of Bodie Glenn. The defendant was arrested and placed in jail under the belief that Glenn was dead. He was apprised that "his victim" was alive and his attorney, G. Q. Youngblood, filed a writ for habeas corpus hearing and Bates was given bail.

On a Sunday afternoon several weeks ago it is alleged that Bates and Glenn had some trouble and a stabbing resulted. Glenn was taken to St. Paul's sanitarium and in a very few days the grand jury reported the bill, and alleged that Glenn was stabbed to death.

Later it was reported to the jurors that Glenn was alive. Bates is now under arrest on complaint of assault to murder.

END OF COAL STRIKE RACING WITH DEATH

By Associated Press.
London, March 28.—Though the end of the coal strike appears near, it will be a race with death by starvation for many before the wheels of industry begin turning again. Three have been found starving to death in Wales.

Strikers Destroy Property.

By Associated Press.
Lowell, March 28.—The first destruction of property since the beginning of the Textile Workers' strike began here this morning in a parade, breaking the windows of two factories. No injuries were caused. One arrest was made.

Alleged Murderers Captured.

By Associated Press.
San Angelo, Texas, March 28.—A Mexican man and woman possessing a blood-stained axe were brought here today by a posse after a two hundred mile chase for alleged slaying of Antonio Sanchez, who was killed with an axe and his body partly burned near here recently. The Mexican pair with the axe had Sanchez' papers and his horses.

CONSTERNATION IN MEXICO CITY

OROZCO'S SUCCESS IS REGARDED AS QUITE OMINOUS THERE AND IN WASHINGTON.

ZAPATA FIGHTING AGAIN

Grave Question Arises Over Probable Attitude of U. S. in Case of Madero's Overtthrow.

By Associated Press.
Washington, D. C., March 28.—Consternation reigns in Mexico City as a result of the federal defeat, according to State Department advice. Orozco's success is regarded as quite ominous and will likely be followed by serious events throughout the Republic. Zapata is reported resuming fighting in the southern part of the Republic where the weakness of the Federal is recognized.

The Federalists retreated before Orozco to Torreón in a demoralized condition. The rebels are said to be following them closely.

The rebel successes have shaken the confidence of some Washington officials in an easy Madero triumph. They now recognize the possibility of his overthrow. A grave question arises over the probable attitude of the United States in such an event, when there would probably be three or four presidential candidates. There is no thought of armed intervention.

However, it is pointed out that the United States in the cases other Central American Republics has laid down the principle that there must be no self-created despotism; that the will of the majority of the people must be freely expressed. It soon may be a question whether such representations shall be made to Mexico if Madero is overthrown. Even if this is done it is believed there will be no necessity of an invasion of Mexico.

Number of Refugees Increases

By Associated Press.
Laredo, Texas, March 28.—The number of refugee passengers increased today to one hundred. It was reported that three hundred and fifty dead or wounded soldiers were brought to Monterey from Torreón last night, but this report is not substantiated.

OFFICIAL ENTERS GUILTY PLEA

Postmaster of Petrolia Gets Into Trouble Because of Embezzlement of Bank's Funds.

Fort Worth, Texas, March 28.—Joel A. Chapman entered a plea of guilty to an indictment charging him with embezzlement of the funds of the Petrolia postoffice while he was the postmaster. The evidence showed that an embezzlement of the funds of a bank, where Chapman had deposited \$500 of the postoffice money, was the cause of the trouble. He borrowed money from another bank to make good the loss by the bank's embezzlement and when the note fell due was unable to meet it. He used \$250 of the postal funds to pay off that note, but had returned all but \$90 of the money when an inspector dropped in, checked him up, found him short and the arrest and indictment followed.

Last Sunday Chapman, who was out on bond, shot off two of his toes while hunting. He came into court this morning on crutches and explained the latest misfortune to befall him. Judge Meek told him there was no reason why his career should be blighted, but as there was a technical violation of the law, on his plea of guilty he would fine him the amount of the embezzlement, \$260, and sentence him to thirty days in the Tarrant county jail. Because of his wounds he permitted him to make bond for thirty days, in the sum of \$1,000, while he had his wounded foot treated. He is to be back here April 27 to begin his thirty days' jail sentence.

COMMITTEE FAVORS SENATOR LORIMER

Holds That Previous Investigation Bore Further Proceedings.

By Associated Press.
Washington, D. C., March 28.—The Lorimer special investigating committee by a vote of five to three held today that Lorimer has a right to his seat. The committee held that the Senate's vote sustaining Lorimer in the previous investigation barred further proceedings.

The Riggers and Stevedores' union, one of the oldest labor organizations in San Francisco, has a membership of 2,500, and it is the belief that upon the completion of the Panama canal the membership of the union will be increased to 5,000.

WEATHER FORECAST

Tonight fair and somewhat colder; probably frost. Friday fair.

RIVERS ARE RISING

Slight Washout On Denver Near Iowa Park Last Night.

Rains all over Northwest Texas and Southwest Oklahoma Wednesday night have started the Wichita and Red Rivers booming and unless the rains stop overflows can be expected.

At noon today Big Wichita River was running half bank full and was rising with a prospect of another big rise getting down this evening. Red River is also rising steadily. Lake Wichita had risen several inches this afternoon and a rise of fully a foot is expected before all the water gets down from the Dundee country.

The heaviest rain came last night when the water flowed over the Fort Worth & Denver tracks near Burke Station delaying traffic several hours. The water however quickly subsided and the track was made passable with little trouble.

The rainfall here up to noon today had been 1.46 inches. Reports received at the railroad offices indicated heavy rains over the entire Wichita Falls Route from Leedy, Okla., to Newcastle, Texas; also over the Wichita Valley to Abilene and north over the Fort Worth & Denver.

Fields north of the city are covered with water which in some places is several feet deep. More water is said to cover the ground than at any time since 1908.

SMITH'S HAVE BIG LEAD IN WICHITA FALLS

They Number More Than the Jones and the Johnsons Combined. Moors are Fourth.

When it comes to numerical strength the Smiths have all other families in Wichita Falls down in the dust for the count. Even the Johnsons and the Jones, usually formidable rivals have been distanced, according to the new city directory.

The directory lists 91 Smiths, including only the heads of families and mature single persons of that name. The Jones' come next with 42, followed by the Johnson clan with 45. As will be seen from the above figures the Smiths number more than the Jones and the Johnsons combined.

In most towns statistics do not show that the Moore are more numerous than many other families such as Clark, Howard and other family names, but here in Wichita Falls they are close rivals with the Jones and the Johnsons with 35 names listed in the directory.

FIVE RIVERS CO. FIRST TO REBUILD

Derrick Blown Down at Electra in Storm Now Completed and Well Will Be Bailed In.

The Five Rivers Oil Company has the distinction to be the first company to complete rebuilding one of the derricks blown down in last week's storm. This company completed the derrick over its No. 1 well and was ready to start drilling this afternoon.

When the storm came that blew down over a hundred derricks at Electra the Five Rivers Co. was just getting ready to bail in its first well. Twenty feet of sand had been found at a depth of 1050 feet. Now that the derrick has been rebuilt this well will be bailed in. W. W. Silk, manager for the company expects a good well. This well is located 114 feet from the Ed Wilson well.

The Five Rivers Co. has also erected the derrick for its second well. This is located 250 feet west of the Wilson well.

SAYS GOVERNOR HAS NO POWER.

New York Attorney General Declares Second Primary is Question for Courts and Legislature.

Albany, N. Y., March 28.—Gov. Dix has no power to order another primary election in New York City. The question is one with which the legislature and the courts must deal. This is the substance of an opinion given to Gov. Dix last night by Attorney General Carmody.

Pauline Hall is building a theatre of her own in Yonkers.

REV. NORRIS GOES TO SANITARIUM

INDICTED PASTOR WHO RESIGNED PASTORATE GOES TO HUBBARD CITY FOR REST.

HE WILL RETURN SUNDAY

Resignation is Second Tendered—Norris Declared Resignation is Irrevocable.

By Associated Press.
Fort Worth, Texas, March 28.—Accompanied by his wife, Rev. J. Frank Norris, who resigned the pastorate of the First Baptist Church last night left this morning for Hubbard City to rest at a sanitarium until Sunday when he returns here. He was plainly ill, suffering from a nervous breakdown when seen at the train this morning.

Text of Norris' Letter.
Fort Worth, Texas, March 28.—Rev. J. Frank Norris, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Fort Worth, has tendered his resignation to the congregation of that church. The resignation was sent yesterday evening to Dr. T. L. Hay, chairman of the board of deacons of the church, and he will lay it before the congregation next Sunday. The text of the letter of resignation follows:

"Fort Worth, Texas, March 27. To the Members of the First Baptist Church of Fort Worth: My Dear Brothers and Sisters—Because of the seriously impaired condition of my health, which you have known for quite a while, I hereby tender my resignation as your pastor, to take effect according to the rules of the church within ninety days from date. This course is prompted by my own best judgment after long and due consideration as well as upon the advice of my physician.

"I have loved you and will ever continue to do so as dearly as my own life. I have tried to declare unto you the whole gospel without fear or favor. I have the deepest affection for all within the church and no word of bitterness for any without. Conscious of my own integrity, God as my witness and helper, with my wife and three children, I face the future with confidence unshaken and courage undiminished.

"My first and immediate duty is to recover my health. I begged of you to accept my resignation tendered you Feb. 4 last, but you declined to do so. Now I trust for my sake and for the sake of my family that you will accept this resignation unambiguously, for it is irrevocable. May heaven's richest blessings accompany you every one until that glorious day when we shall stand together before the Father's throne, when every secret thing shall be made known and every faithful servant shall be crowned. Yours sincerely, J. FRANK NORRIS.

Another batch of anonymous letters, said to have been threatening in their tone, is reported to have been received yesterday by Rev. Mr. Norris, G. H. Connell and others.

Rev. Mr. Norris was reported to be ill at the residence of George E. White, 913 West Second street, where he and his family are stopping. Mrs. Norris, who replied to a telephone call for the minister there last night, said her husband had not been well for two days. She said he was bordering on another nervous breakdown such as he was afflicted with the day following the burning of the church and parsonage.

The grand jury, which has been investigating the burning of the church, has not yet returned its report for the week. It may not report here Saturday or it may report today.

Cecil, the little two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Brothers of Amarillo, according to information received by Judge W. E. Brothers this afternoon died this morning, and the body will be brought to this city tonight. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at three thirty o'clock from the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brothers, on 11th street, interment being in Riverside Cemetery.

A new local of the International Boot and Shoe Workers' Union has been formed in New York. It takes in that branch of the trade known as carpet slipper makers.

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Official Statement as made to the Comptroller of Currency February 20th, 1912. Condensed.

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WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$907,549.45
U. S. Bonds and Premiums	281,000.00
Other Stocks and Bonds	1,269.95
Furniture and Fixtures	18,000.00
Real Estate	1,600.00
Cotton and Grain Bills of Exchange	44,086.92
Due from U. S. Treasurer	10,000.00
Cash and Sight Exchange	124,532.74
Total	\$1,408,338.06
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$200,000.00
Surplus and Profits	769,801.12
Currency in Circulation	200,000.00
Individual Deposits	\$627,214.57
Bank Deposits	150,650.60
Bills Payable	787,806.17
Unpaid Dividends	50,000.00
Reserved for Taxes	72.00
Reserved for Taxes	639.77
Total	\$1,408,338.06

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Annual Report of Fire Chief Stampfli

Fire Chief Vic E. Stampfli has prepared his annual report of the department for the past year, and the same will be presented to the city council at its next regular meeting.

The report carries some data that is of interest to every citizen, and emphasizes the great value the department has been to the city in the saving of property.

During the year the department has answered to 35 fire alarms and 12 false alarms. Of the 35 fires, the buildings were valued at \$356,900, and the contents at \$110,350, and of this sum the loss was only \$115,616.

The chief also cites the difference in the maintenance of the automobile engine as compared to the team and home wagon, which shows a difference in favor of the auto of \$513.35, and justifies Mr. Stampfli's judgment in purchasing the engine at a time when it was considered by most people as an experiment, and one that would prove costly to the city.

The fire department, as an organization, is in fine condition. All of the members, are enthusiastic for the work, as is shown by the fact that an average of seven out of fifteen attend each fire during the year. In the work, almost without pay, and always at a loss to himself, the chief has worked valiantly for the good of the service, and has done more than any other man to bring the service up to its present efficiency.

The report is as follows: To the Hon. Mayor and City Council of the City of Wichita Falls:

I herewith respectfully submit the following expenses incurred during the two years of fire engine in service beginning April 1, 1910 to April 1, 1912; and compare horse drawn apparatus expenses during same period of time as follows:

Fire engine installed April 1, 1910; expenses on gasoline, oil and repairs: For gasoline in April, 1910, \$4.20, for oil \$4.20.

For oil in May, 1910, \$2.80. For gasoline in June, 1910, \$4.20. For gasoline in July, 1910, regrounding valves \$6.00.

For gasoline in August, 1910, \$4.20. For gasoline in October 1910, \$2.80. For gasoline in November, 1910, \$4.20, for oil \$3.55.

For gasoline in December, 1910, \$4.20. For gasoline in January, 1911, \$1.40, for oil \$1.40.

Labor of replacing differential furnished by factory, \$27.00. Telegrams and express charges, \$10.35.

For gasoline in February, 1911, \$2.80. For waste in March, 1911, \$1.90. For gasoline in April, 1911, \$3.80.

For gasoline in June, 1911, \$7.15. For 1 new tire, June 1911, \$118.00. For 1 inner tube, June, 1911, \$15.00.

For oil in July, 1911, \$1.40. For gasoline in August, 1911, \$2.80. For gasoline in October, 1911, \$3.90.

For gasoline in November, 1911, \$2.60. For gasoline in January, 1912, \$1.30. For magnet shaft, January, 1912, \$15.00; 6 spark plugs, \$9.00; for labor, \$10.00; 4 sets batteries, \$7.20; for polish, \$2.50.

For gasoline in February, 1912, \$1.30, for oil \$1.30. Total, \$293.65.

Expenses of maintenance of fire wagon and team from April 1, 1910, to April 1, 1912:

Expenses for oats per day at 65c per bushel, per month, \$19.50. Expenses on hay per day at 50c. per bale, per month, \$2.50.

Expenses for shoeing team per month, \$4.00. Expenses harness upkeep, 60c.

Total expenses of keeping up team and wagon for two years, \$756.00.

For work on wagon during said two years, \$37.00.

For batteries on wagon for lighter lasting 2 years, \$18.00. For brass polish on wagon, \$5.00.

Grand total, \$807.08. Expenses of upkeep on automobile engine, \$293.65.

Difference of expense in upkeep of the two apparatuses, \$513.35.

VIC E. STAMPFLI, Fire Chief.

Annual Report. From April 1, 1911 to March 25, 1912: Total number of fires during above period, 35.

False alarms of fires during above period, 12. Fires resulting from unknown causes, 10.

Fires resulting from gasoline, 5. Fires resulting from burning areas, 14.

Fires resulting from defective fuses, 12. Fires resulting from defective gas stove fittings, 2.

Fires resulting from lamp explosions, 2. Fires resulting from flying sparks, 2.

Fires resulting from defective electric wiring, 1. Average fire men attending fires during above period, 7.

Number of feet of hose laid during above period, 18,550. Number of sirens turned in, 48.

Number of hours pumped with engine at fires, 21-40.

ASK WIFE to save the miniature book "The Road to Wellville" found in pkgs. of Grape-Nuts BIG IDEAS "There's a Reason"

Total valuation of buildings, \$356,900.00. Total valuation of contents, \$110,350.00. Damage to buildings, \$78,000.00. Total damage to contents, \$40,154.00. Total losses during above period, \$118,154.00.

The above report taken from the books kept by the Fire Marshal is respectfully submitted to the Hon. Mayor and City Council and for publication to the citizens of Wichita Falls, Texas.

VIC STAMPFLI, Fire Marshal.

KING OF GRAFTERS CHASED FROM CITY

Kansas City Officials Considered Him an "Undesirable Citizen" and "Made Him Go."

Kansas City, March 25.—Once the alleged chief of the \$5,000,000 big sport swindle syndicate, proud, prosperous and always wearing a smile of contentment, John C. Mabray, walked from the Kansas City police headquarters yesterday branded as an "undesirable citizen." He walked from the station with bowed head. The pride which he had cherished had been dealt a blow which felled him for the count of ten. He must move on.

Mabray is acknowledged to have been one of the greatest "fake sport scheme" promoters in the country. The pages of his and his associates' history telling of the methods employed in taking money from credulous men of wealth, by "fake fights," "fake foot races," and "fake wrestling matches," would read in true "Diamond Dick" style and give the reader a thrill of excitement. The details of the prearranged matches were always complete and the "winner" fell but were so ambed with complicated circumstances that they seemed to tell of their losses because they imagined they were accessories in the deals.

"You'll have to leave Kansas City," Mabray was told by Chief Griffin before he left. "You asked for a chance. We are willing to give you one—that is to get out of the city."

Mabray hesitated before replying. "I'll have to notify the United States District attorney before I go," he said. "I guess I might as well go one time as another."

"All right," continued the chief. "You will be able to arrange for your departure by Saturday. If you are in Kansas City after then you will be arrested. Goodby."

Half turning as if to make another reply Mabray again hesitated. He changed his mind and walked from the station.

Mabray was arrested Wednesday evening. He was booked for investigation at police headquarters. "The arrest was made on 'general principles,'" said Chief Griffin. "There have been too many swindles called to the attention of the police lately. We had nothing on Mabray but wanted him arrested to hear his story."

Mabray was released from the federal prison at Leavenworth last October, where he served two years for using the mails to defraud.

J. C. Mabray was one of the leaders of a gang that operated in the Central West for a number of years, promoting fake foot races, horse races and prize fights. So successful were they that it was estimated that they fleeced business men of unquestionable standing out of more than a million dollars.

Mabray and five of his associates were arrested at Little Rock, Ark., in the early part of March, 1909, while preparing to leave the state to avoid the storm about to break because of the many frauds perpetrated. All five were held in bail for \$10,000 each, and Mabray's bond was \$15,000.

Other arrests followed, and in the federal court at Council Bluffs, Ia., March 21, 1910, Mabray and eight other members of his gang were sentenced to the federal prison at Leavenworth for two years each, and were fined \$10,000. Two other members of the gang drew sentences of fifteen months in prison and were fined \$100.

In October, 1911, Mabray and a couple of the other members of his gang were arrested as they were leaving the federal prison on a charge that came from Iowa, and four were sent back to prison for using the mails to defraud.

Most of the victims never realized that they had been swindled until they learned of the arrest of the gang. The whole story was never told because many a hard headed business man kept his losses to himself.

When Mabray was arrested, he was identified by ten or twelve men who had parted with \$5,000 to \$40,000 each in fake races and fights. Then came scores of complaints from all parts of the central west bankers, hotel keepers, doctors, railroad officials, bank cashiers, lumber dealers, storekeepers, every branch of business, represented by the complainants who admitted they had bitten. They could not resist the chance to win big money on a "sure thing."

The Marquette Club, for more than a quarter of a century a strong factor in Republican politics in Chicago, has closed its doors and has been merged with the Hamilton Club.

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On account of A. G. Fields Minstrels here on Friday night and the comic opera "Introduce Me" on Saturday night, the Wichita Falls Route will give cheap excursion rates from all points on that system.

From Leody to Carpenter inclusive and Wellington to Duke inclusive tickets will be placed on sale March 28 and 29th.

From Elk City to Burkburnett inclusive, tickets will be placed on sale or morning trains of March 29th and 30th.

From Newcastle to Archer City inclusive, the tickets will be on sale March 29th and 30th.

The return limit will be for morning trains leaving Wichita Falls March 31st.

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Mangum, Okla.	1.50
Leody, Okla.	1.50
Martha, Okla.	1.25
Altus, Okla.	1.25
Burkburnett, Okla.	1.25
Pipton, Okla.	1.25
Frederick, Okla.	1.00
Hollister, Okla.	1.00
Loveland, Okla.	1.00
Grandfield, Okla.	1.00
Devol, Okla.	.75
Burkburnett, Tex.	.50
Wellington, Tex.	.50
Dodsonville, Tex.	.50
Hoffa, Okla.	1.50
Gould, Okla.	1.50
Duke, Okla.	1.25
Newcastle, Tex.	1.25
Orth, Tex.	1.00
Olney, Tex.	1.00
Archer City, Tex.	.75

Veteran of the Senate. Washington, D. C., March 28.—Congratulations were in order today for Senator Jacob H. Gallinger of New Hampshire, on the occasion of his seventy-fifth birthday anniversary. Senator Gallinger is one of the veterans of the upper house. In years, he has surpassed only by two members, Cullom of Illinois and Stephenson of Wisconsin, while in point of service Senator Cullom alone tops the record of the New Hampshire member.

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pers and magazines to the doors of the farmers this condition has changed.

The wire grass "cracker" will soon be able to command a high price as a curiosity.—Los Angeles Examiner.

Counting Their Chickens.

It has just been admitted that the reason the Democratic majority in the House is opposing legislation intended to further the merit system in the consular service is the belief that a Democratic President will be elected in the fall and that consequently the less the consular service is tied up by civil service regulations the more jobs there will be for hungry spoilsmen.

It will be a National misfortune if after the laborious progress that has been made toward establishing the consular service on a basis of efficiency calculated to accomplish something for the material advancement of American interests it should be flung back into the partisan trough and made to serve as food for political parasites.

The political consul whose sole qualifications for the job were his right to demand a place on the payroll for political services rendered was in many cases a disgrace to his country abroad. Generally he was a detriment. Now that the service is being reorganized and placed on a basis of promotion for merit Congress should do anything it can to encourage the completion of that much needed and long desired reform.

That it should be obstructed by rainbow chasing partisans for the reason stated intimates what the attitude of an administration of that sort would be toward this reform.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

Money is subject to more than one kind of taint. It is coming to be generally conceded that money filched from the public under the specious pretense of benefit to American labor through tariff taxes, beguiled from the innocent purchaser of inflated securities, or expressed from the victims of monopoly, is tainted money.

These are gains of dishonesty, but they are every whit as equitable and as just as the harvest of hate. The man who reaps dollars by sowing seeds of class hatred and destroying the confidence of men in one another and in the State is as bad as the most conscienceless stock jobber who ever traded wind and water for good money or the most unctuous monopolist who ever gave thanks to an outraged heaven that his gains were not as small as other men's were.

A Socialist newspaper which has carried the red flag of the internationalists at its masthead for years is reported to have proved so immensely profitable that its owners are to suspend and retire with a fortune. Protected all along by the very laws they have assailed, they have become capitalists as the reward of a fight on capitalism. There is worse taint on such money than on the dollars of a Rockefeller, a Morgan or a Baer.—St. Louis Republic.

The Speaker a Representative Champ Clark, Speaker of the House of Representatives, recently availed himself of the privilege of taking the floor and speaking in a debate. He intimated that he thinks it would be advisable to return to the custom whereby the Speaker participates in the deliberations of the House.

It is to be hoped that he will carry out the idea. The Speaker is a regularly elected Representative of his district and as such has a right to be heard and to vote on questions coming before the House. Practically, by reason of the fact that he is president officer, this is generally lost sight of. It renews the question as to whether the interests of all concerned would not be better served by electing as Speaker merely a presiding officer, without a vote except, possibly, in case of a tie.

However, this may be, the active participation by the Speaker in the affairs of the House, as a member of it, is quite in keeping with the plan designed by the founders of the Government.—Schenectady Gazette.

The Passing of the "Cracker."

In a few years the famous "cracker" of the South will be classed with the dodo. Railroads and autos, telephones and scientific farming are making an up-to-date citizen of him.

The "cracker" got his name from the long whips that drivers use. In the long grass regions of Georgia he was regarded as almost unfit to be alive. Illiterate and unkempt, he cared apparently for nothing.

With county schools in operation and rural delivery bringing newspapers

Removal Notice.

The offices of the Wichita Falls Water and Light Co. and the Wichita Traction Co. have been moved from the Joline building to the basement of the Kemp & Kell building. 270-4th

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BIG PARADE WITH THE Y. M. C. A. CIRCUS

The Mingling Brothers and Hind Paws shows are making great preparations for the first performance which will be given here on the afternoon of April 9th, and the announcement comes from headquarters that no effort or expense is being spared to make the appearance of the circus in this city the most celebrated event of its kind which has ever been brought to this section of the state.

As is the custom of a circus, a big parade will be given, and the parade will consist of about the following: Several agitons, bands, about twenty horseback riders, ladies and gentlemen, animals, elephants, etc., clowning quite a bit of comedy, a number of freaks, an aerial, the fire department, puglies and giants, and many other rare and almost unobtainable creatures and things. In addition to all these attractions, a carnival feature will be added, and anyone who wishes to add anything to the parade in the shape of a business advertisement or otherwise, will be permitted to do so and every one is invited to add something.

Those who wish to take part in the circus can phone number 719 and be registered, no charge being made for registering. A number has been signed for the carnival parade, and many others are expected to register for this event within the next few days.

The parade will form in front of the Y. M. C. A. on Tenth street, and will begin to move promptly at one o'clock in the afternoon, April 9th.

In connection with Mingling Brothers and Hind Paws shows during the two performances in this city, a wonderful feat will be performed. This feat is the most daring of its nature that has before been attempted. The individual who accomplishes it takes his life in his hands for the amusement of the crowds. Roy Spurling, the brave death defying young man, will leap into a net seventy feet below him, the net being only eight feet wide. This wonderful exhibition will be given in front of the Wichita Theatre at 7:30 o'clock, just before the evening performance of the circus. The feat is absolutely no fake, and the public is invited to attend and see for themselves.

Crepes Paper for Children's Parties.

For children's parties the bright printed paper is decidedly more attractive than linen. Neither is it to be despised when planning holiday affair-luncheons for grown-ups.

To make the floral decorations, one must buy the paper printed with flowers that comes by the yard. The blossoms are cut out and then glued to bare branches, twigs, sticks or any similar thing handy. In fact, when twisted with green or brown paper will answer should the wood be unavailable.

These branches are most natural looking when complete, and may be used to decorate an entire room if desired.

The latest novelty in a table cloth is not only printed in colors, but the background is stamped to suggest the finest damask. It measures forty-two by eighty-four inches, and is made up of several squares, which is a convenience, because the cloth can then be cut to fit any size table. The price is only twenty-five cents, which includes twelve napkins and twelve doilies.

One can choose from twelve designs. There are strawberries and cherries in fruit decorations, scattered playing cards for bride luncheons, lilies for Easter and wedding festivities, arrows and hearts for St. Valentine's Day, holly and poinsettias for Christmas, sheaves of wheat and golden pumpkins for celebrating All Hallows' Eve, fir cones for forest picnics, quaint Holland marine scenes in delft blue for the seaside lunch box, bright Japanese effects, Virginia creeper, and golden rod, suggestive of autumn; Old Glory, for the Fourth, of course, and no end of floral designs. Even the fishing basket is not forgotten, for napkins bordered with printed fishing tackle may be bought.

A rose tree is a newer idea than the Jack Horner pie. The rosebush is wire wound with paper, then planted and provided with paper roses, in which are concealed the favors. Ribbons to match the roses in color run from the blossoms to the edge of the table and end in name cards.

The ice cups will be paper roses, with handles formed by the stem, and single roses will contain almonds or candies hidden away in tiny cases.

For spring luncheons the jonquil "Jack Horner pie" is appropriate. The blossoms, made of paper, should appear to be growing in a flat, receptacle, and when distributed the favors should be found attached to a root to acceptant.

Children always like the floral parasol suspended over the table.

A Jap parasol makes the foundation, which is literally covered with roses and their leaves, and the handle twisted with ribbons ending in name cards. A fringe of roses drops from the edge of the parasol and contains the favors. After the feast the se sprays are cut away and presented to the guests.

Another of the season's novelties is a box containing twelve napkins, each folded and held by a fancy crepe paper ring. Inside the napkin will be found a pretty cap and mask, to be worn during the dancing.

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This Date In History

- March 28, 1855—Kyrle Bellow, noted actor, born in England. Died in Salt Lake City, Nov. 2, 1911. 1867—The British North American Act, providing for the federation of the Canadian provinces, received the royal assent. 1871—Commune proclaimed at Paris. 1892—A celebration in honor of Bishop Comenius was held in the Moravian church at Bethlehem, Pa.

The Brownwood Bulletin, a paper owned by Will H. Mays, a good newspaper man, and at one time president of the National Press Association, is coming out daily in a 4-page, six column form and does not carry a sufficient amount of advertising patronage to justify even that large a paper. In fact, the Times, judging from the appearance of the paper, which is well edited, has come to the conclusion that the reputation Brownwood has abroad for being one of the liveliest and most wide-awake towns in the State has been considerably overestimated, or else the business interests of that thriving town have suddenly come to the conclusion that they can get along without a newspaper and have determined to starve the Bulletin out. As a newspaper man, Mays is a top-notch, and if he can't make a daily paper go in Brownwood, the people of that city will have to look a long time before they will find a man who can. There is something wrong, either with the people of Brownwood or Editor Mays. Mr. Mays is being groomed as a candidate for lieutenant-governor, and it is possible that in his desire to have his political aspirations gratified he has neglected his paper. At any rate, the Bulletin, as now issued, indicates that Brownwood has dropped from a first-class to a third or fourth rate town.

It is the common expression of the citizens of Vernon that they had rather live in a town of individual ownership of their homes than in Wichita Falls, Fort Worth or Dallas, where a few millionaires dictate the city government and make the assessment as to how much the citizens should pay for the benefit of their money making schemes.—Vernon Call.

If it is true that millionaires dictate the city government of Fort Worth and Dallas, it is not that way in Wichita Falls. The voting strength of this city is about 1500, and the millionaires are not in the majority, by a whole lot. Wichita Falls is a town where all classes work and pull-together, and a millionaire's vote don't count for any more than the vote of the fellow who is only a half millionaire, or one who barely has sufficient wealth to provide himself with a poll tax receipt. They all look alike. That is the way it should be, and when you see a town where the wealthy and the masses meet on equal ground and enter into a compact or combination for the welfare and prosperity of all, you will find a people that do things. That is why Wichita Falls has grown and prospered.

Wichita Falls has grown and prospered. Had the wealthy been content to hold what they already had and made no attempt to add to their possessions, the result would be that many enterprises that have been secured through the combined efforts of all the people would have sought and found more favorable locations. No town or community can expect to enjoy prosperity and growth where there are agencies at work to prejudice one class against the other. Just because a man or a number of men have succeeded in building up respectable fortunes, is no reason why their judgment or opinions concerning the government should be accepted as against the majority. At any rate, that is the way the Times looks at the matter. Every man who is a man, will not allow another to do his thinking in matters where only his conscience should be his guide.

WHAT IS HE THERE FOR?

A remarkable thing happened down at Austin the other day, when the assistant attorney appointed by the governor to represent the state before the court of criminal appeals, the Hon. C. E. Lane, instead of representing the State in a local option case appealed to the court of criminal appeals from Sabine county, attacked the court and the jury that convicted the appellant and fined him \$25 and twenty days in jail and asked that the case be reversed because of insufficient evidence to support the conviction. In this Mr. Lane in effect says that the men who acted as jurors and were sworn to try the case according to law and evidence were not competent to try the case, the country attorney and judge were lacking in qualification, to say nothing of the twelve members of the grand jury who found the bill. It seems to have been common experience that bootleggers have managed to evade the law many times when those who know the circumstances were certain of their guilt and it is reasonably certain that not many innocent persons have been convicted on this charge. To say the least of it, the State's attorney, it seems to us, could do no less than leave the question of fact up to the court and jury that tried the case. It is just such incidents as this that has encouraged the growth of the recall idea, not only in Texas, but all over the United States.—Wills Point Chronicle.

If the Governor didn't appoint C. E. Lane to assist him in his work, what did he appoint him for? The attorney general elected by the people did not want him and would not have him, and he proves by his works that he knows how to do things he was appointed for.—Bonham News.

JUDGE RICE MAXEY ALARMED.

Our good friend Judge Rice Maxey, now chairman of the Harmon campaign committee, is greatly perturbed over the situation of his candidate for the nomination for the presidency. He awoke to the fact that thousands of the personal friends of Senator Bailey are permanently in the Woodrow Wilson camp, and all his persuasions have failed to dislodge them. So last Sunday he made an ad captandum appeal, and did his best to pull off a stunt that would arouse them to the error of their way! He actually came out in the daily papers and threatened to precipitate the old Bailey issue in Texas, and try to revive all the strife and the bitterness of that by-gone period. Yes, he held up Senator Bailey and gave us

to understand what would happen if things did not change. Well, now, as long as Senator Bailey's political weal was at stake we stood by him through thick and thin; and we did it under circumstances of a furious nature, and regardless of its effect on us politically and personally. But when the Senator, without our solicitation and to our surprise, permanently withdrew from the field of Texas politics, he eliminated himself and to all intents and purposes became a private citizen. Now, does our friend Judge Maxey think to force us, into the Harmon camp simply because he claims that to support Wilson will compromise the Senator? We do not so regard our support of Wilson. And Judge Maxey does his cause no credit in his announcement last Sunday, and he attributes to us, the friends of Senator Bailey personally, very little sense or judgment of our own. The present campaign can not be made a Bailey campaign, however much Judge Maxey may desire it. It rises now above personalities and enters the broad field of principle, and with all our admiration and personal friendship for Senator Bailey, we are going to support Gov. Wilson for the Democratic nomination for the presidency. Judge Maxey can not frighten us by waving the flag of an extinct campaign of bitterness and strife.—Home and State.

WILSON VOTED FOR BRYAN AND KERN.

It has been charged that Woodrow Wilson did not vote at the election in 1909, at the time Bryan and Kern headed the Democratic presidential ticket. Gov. Wilson denied this charge most emphatically at the time it was made by the Trenton, (N. J.) Daily Times, a paper published in his hometown. But this denial was not sufficient, it seems to induce the paper to make the correction, and as a consequence the charge that he did not vote has been industriously circulated throughout the United States by the Harmon campaign managers. The Trenton Times, however, has finally discovered its mistake, and in a signed article makes a manly and straight-forward statement as to why it made the charge, which it avers was supported by the records of polling lists filed, and which later proved to be an incomplete record. The correction made by the Trenton Times is as follows: Trenton, N. J., Mar. 22, 1912. Frank L. Mays, Editor Journal, Pensacola, Fla. During the campaign preceding the nomination for Governor in 1910, the Times published a statement that the records on file in the Mercer county clerk's office showed that Governor Wilson had not voted in 1908. A subsequent investigation disclosed the fact that this information had been obtained from an incomplete record that had been inadvertently placed on file by the election officers of the first precinct of Princeton. The complete record as shown in the correct polling book disclosed the fact that Governor Wilson had voted in 1908 and that his name was duly checked off by the election board. This record showing that the governor did vote is now in the hands of the county clerk of this county, who is a Republican. There can be no question as to its accuracy. The election officers placed the incomplete record on file by mistake. It was simply a part of their outside records and was unofficial. The election officers are willing to make affidavit that they remember Governor Wilson being at the polls and voting. When the story first appeared the governor made the emphatic declaration that he had voted in 1908 and says he voted for Bryan and Kern. Charles H. Gallagher is the only member of the Democratic State committee who stood by the deposed chairman, James R. Nugent, in fighting the governor. He has been unable thus far to get a Democrat of any kind to stand for delegate against the governor in this district, and he dare not stand himself. He is entirely discredited politically here. TRENTON EVENING TIMES.

Senator La Follette has made known his intention to campaign Nebraska, Oregon and Washington next month previous to the presidential preference primaries in those States. General Benjamin F. Tracy, who was Secretary of the Navy in President Harrison's cabinet, has been appointed chairman of the advisory committee of the eastern-branch of the National Taft Bureau.

To the Public.

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Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McCaylor of Henrietta are visiting Mrs. Franklin on Eighth street.

Jesse J. Dolman, licensed undertaker and embalmer, with Freear-Bryn Furniture Co. Day phone 136, night phone 132. 220-tf

For stigmatism see S. H. Keller, optometrist, 719 Indiana Ave. 270-tfc

Miss Anesta Monroe, the little daughter of Mrs. George Davis, has been selected to play the part of Thos Keen's little daughter in the forthcoming Elks' extravaganza, which completes the cast of characters. Rehearsals for the play will commence next week. Miss Anesta is a natural born actress, and her friends expect her to make a very decided hit in the part assigned to her.

Dr. Prothro, Dentist. Suite No. 1, Ward Building. Phone 186. 62-tfc. Don't be woosy—It's in the cup—Collonade—drink it kid. 255-tfc

Getting Ready to Drill at Childress. The big rotary drill, engine and boiler for the Copper oil well arrived from Electra Tuesday evening. Today it is being hauled out and will be adjusted for operating as soon as men can do it.

A double crew of drillers came with it and when the drill starts it will run day and night until plenty of oil is found or until the bottom is reached.—Childress Post.

FARM AND FIELD SEEDS

We Have a Large Variety of Seed Corn, Maize, Kaffir Corn, Millet, Cane and Cotton Seed.....

We sell these seeds in bulk at prices that leaves us but a small profit. These seeds are all fresh and reliable, and were selected especially for this soil and climate.

Farmers Supply Co.

J. T. GANT, Manager. Phone 440. Mississippi Street. Wichita Falls, Texas

News From Oil Fields

Big Gas Well Near Ardmore.

Ardmore, Okla., March 28.—The bringing in of another gasser in the Oil City fields by the company of which Dr. F. W. Skiffers is president, adds most materially to the production of Oklahoma.

This last well is one of the largest producers ever brought in. The daily production of gas being twenty-two million feet. When the Haines-Ledbetter gas well was brought in with a production of fifteen million feet it was a big thing—a very great big thing—but this well leads it by a daily output of seven million feet of gas.

Dr. Skiffers says that he proposes continuing the sinking of gas wells as long as there is gas to be found.

To Prospect for Oil and Gas.

Corpus Christi, Tex., March 28.—The White Point Development Company, with an initiatory capital of \$5000, fully paid in, was organized in this city yesterday. The charter was drawn up in the offices of G. R. Scott, Boone & Pope, and forwarded to the secretary of state, at Austin, by today's mail.

The company was formed for the purpose of developing what is known as White Point, across Nueces bay, for gas and oil. The company owns a tract of 437 1/2 acres on White-Point, and has great prospects for natural gas and oil, which is said to exist in the tract in paying quantities.

That many people in the city have confidence in the development of White Point is testified to by the number of original stockholders—thirty-one of them—who are as follows: Henry Redmond, John Jort, H. D. C. Gussett, L. R. Clarkson, Mamie Clarkson, J. H. Gallagher, Justina Bluntzer, Clark Pease, Harriet Garrett, A. D. Evans, H. G. Heaney, W.

H. Daimwood, Ida Manganot, Amella and Margaret Daimwood, Lella Henderson, Elizabeth Clarkson, C. A. Meuliy, Mary Meuliy, Julia A. Alice and Julia R. Blucher, E. L. Beynon, E. H. Caldwell, Mildred Seaton, D. C. Rachal, Jos. L. Cline, Edith Glozebrook, A. and M. Well and G. R. Scott.

Log of the Deep Well at Childress.

A log of the deep well put down by the Denver railroad in Childress several years ago has been received by the Index and when shown to an oil man who is familiar with the Electra field, stated that the well probably passed through a strata of oil at the 1,250 foot depth and the last formation entered was promising for oil. The log of the well is as following, beginning at the surface: Feet

Table with 2 columns: Material and Feet. Red dirt 125, Gyp rock 15, Blue clay 15, Gyp rock 15, Blue clay 5, Red rock 10, Gyp rock and dirt 95, Brown clay 5, Gyp rock with red streaks 60, Red clay and gyp rock 90, Red clay 70, Red clay and light shale 70, Shell rock 2, Feet clay 78, Feet red mud 45, Mud and gyp rock 45, Red clay and gyp rock 25, Clay 295, Red mud 35, Clay 178, Limestone 15, Hard rock 20, Red clay 40, Red mud 40, Shale 187, Limestone 88, Red clay 260, Red sandstone 25, Red sandstone and light clay 35, Sandstone 70, Hard blue formation 55, Light red shale 15, Total depth 2075. —Childress Index.

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Residence on Burnett. Convenient for those who must be near their work. Everything is modern. Lot is 70x150 to alley in rear. East front. Price and terms are right.

I ALSO HAVE:

A vacant lot 70x150 feet, facing east on Travis; (up on hill); and that will make you an ideal home.

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Placed under this head will bring satisfactory results. One Cent the Word for an insertion; Half Cent the Word each following insertion.

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WANTED—To trade for all kinds of second hand furniture or stoves.—Bessie Furniture Company, 706 Indiana avenue, phone 887 ... 204fc

WANTED—You to see us for bargains in furniture and stoves, new and second hand. Repairing a specialty. Moran Furniture Company, phone 24, 708 Seventh street 251-4fc

WANTED—Your tornado insurance policies, you need it now, too late after the storm. Low rates; good companies. See or phone us. H. J. Bachman, Fire and Tornado Insurance, 722 Ohio avenue. 269-4fc

WANTED—You to see our nice line of samples and fancy trimmings before selecting your spring and summer wear. Ladies' suits, coats, skirts and dresses tailored to your individual measure. We make a specialty of re-fitting.

Satisfaction Guaranteed Read that over. Gotcher & Knaess, Ladies Tailors, 710 1/2 Indiana Avenue, upstairs, room 5, phone 156. 269-61p

WANTED—Two rooms furnished for light housekeeping; close in. Address "M" care this office. 273-23p

FOR RENT—Four rooms furnished for light housekeeping. Phone 616. 272-23c

WANTED—Motorcycle in running order, not so particular about appearance, but must be in running order and cheap for cash. State price or no answer. P. O. Box 921. 273-33c

WANTED—A four room, also a seven room house, must be close in and in good condition. Mrs. Grounds, Palace hotel. 273-4fc

WANTED—One or two gentlemen to rent a desirable furnished bed room, close to the business section. Apply 790 Scott. 273-4fc

WANTED—Clean cotton rags; pay 3c per pound. Apply to foreman Times press room. 254-4fc

FOR RENT—ROOMS

FOR RENT—Office or bed rooms. Apply at room 15, Moore-Bateman building. Phone 477. 272-4fc

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, gentlemen, 807 Burnett. 252-4fc

FOR RENT—Furnished house close in. Phone 121. 266-4fc

FOR RENT—Front room for one or two nice gentlemen. Apply 804 Lamar. 269-4fc

FOR RENT—Two large nicely furnished light housekeeping rooms, 810 Ninth street. 271-31p

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping to parties without children, 300 Lamar. 271-4fc

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms, 500 Scott. 271-122p

FOR RENT—Two or three furnished rooms for light housekeeping on 10th street. Phone 684. 272-23c

FOR RENT—One modern furnished room for light housekeeping; close in; 1005 Travis. 273-13c

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Four room house. See Dr. Nelson. Phone 586 or 423. 263-4fc

I HAVE—Furnished office with consultation room; will share with right party. Phone 739. 257-4fc

FOR RENT—Four and five room houses; \$12.50 to \$20.00 per month. See Ed B. Gorstline. 44-4fc

FOR RENT—Furnished room house for rent and furnishings to trade for anything of value you have to trade that's reasonable. 306 Burnett street. 236-4fc

FOR RENT—Furnished room; all modern conveniences, 806 Lamar. 266-4fc

FOR RENT—3 room modern new house. No opening to other half of house. South and East side. Apply 1501 Travis. 273-33c

FOR RENT—Five room house on Ohio avenue, between Second and Third streets. J. L. Measels. 273-33p

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MISCELLANEOUS

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FINANCIAL

FOR MONEY to extend liens against choice, well improved Wichita Falls properties, owners should write box 527, Fort Worth, Texas, describing properties and values fully. 270-71p

LOST

LOST—Party who found Bible on steps of M. E. church, South, kindly return same to Times office and receive reward. 269-61p

LOST—a spitz dog, long white hair; brass collar. Reward. J. M. Rolling, phone 696. 271-33c

LOST—Brooch and chatin pin combined, "W" engraved. Finder return to "the little paper woman," Mrs. E. Hayes, and receive reward. Ruck's Rooming House. 273-31p

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NEGRO FAMILY KILLED WHILE SLEEPING

Columbus, March 28.—A man with an ax killed six negroes at Glidden yesterday. The dead are: LYLE PINUCANE, aged 37. ELLEN MONROE, aged 46. ALBERTA MONROE, aged 8. JESSIE MONROE, aged 11. DEWEY LEE MONROE, aged 12. WILLIE MONROE, aged 16.

Each of the negroes was hit with the blunt end of an ax over the right ear. Lyle Pinucane's head was crushed in and beaten away from the crown to the nose. The pillows of each of the negroes are stained with blood and brains, indicating that the victims were struck before they were awakened.

Circumstances indicate that the murderer entered the premises from the rear, picked up the ax belonging on the place at the wood pile, entered the rear door of the hall, approached the bed in the east room, where he first killed Lyle Pinucane. Before Ellen Monroe rose from the bed and made her way to the middle of the room at the foot of the bed.

Crossing the hall to the west room the axman crushed in the right temple of three children in one bed. They were Alberta, Jessie and Dewey Lee. He completed his bloody task by stepping to a cot in the southwest corner of the room and braining Willie Monroe, who lay with the right side of his face exposed.

Not one of the four children in the west room show evidences of struggling after the blows were received. They lay in their beds apparently in the positions in which they had been sleeping.

No Wit in Great Speeches. In an article of "Public Speaking," in the Saturday Evening Post, United States Senator Albert J. Beveridge says:

"It is a remarkable thing that there is neither wit nor humor in any of the immortal speeches that have fallen from the lips of man. To find a joke in Webster would be an offense. The only thing which Ingersoll wrote that live are his oration at his brother's grave and his famous 'The Past Rises Before Me Like a Dream.'"

"But in neither of these productions of this genius of jesters is there a single trace of wit. There is not a funny allusion in all of Burke's speeches, Lincoln's Gettysburg address, his first and second inaugurals, his speech beginning the Douglas campaign and his Cooper Union address in New York are, perhaps, the only utterances of his that will endure. Yet this greatest of storytellers since Aesop did not adorn or deface one of these great deliverances with story or any form of humor."

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT

The following rates will be charged for announcements appearing in The Daily and Weekly Times: District Offices \$15.00 County Offices 15.00 Precinct Offices 10.00 City Offices 5.00

These rates are cash and must be paid in advance. City Election, Tuesday, Apr. 2, 1912. For City Attorney: J. M. BLANKENSHIP, WM. BONNER, FRED W. HOUSEHOLDER

For Mayor: DR. J. M. BELL.

City Marshal: R. V. GWINN, TOM ROARK, A. J. HUMPHRIS, C. P. YEARY, HENRY SPARKS.

For City Tax Assessor and Collector: HARRY F. ROBERTSON.

For City Secretary: V. G. SKEEN, W. A. (Arthur) McCARTY.

DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY. All nominations under this heading are subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

For District Attorney 30th Judicial District: S. M. FOSTER

For Representative 101 District: E. W. NAPIER, PATRICK HENRY.

For District Clerk: ALEX KERR.

For County Judge: C. B. FELDER re-election, H. A. FAIRCHILD

For Sheriff: R. L. (Pete) RANDOLPH, LEWIS JERNIGAN.

For County Tax Collector: W. H. DAUGHERTY

For County Tax Assessor: JOHN ROBERTSON

For County Clerk: E. P. WALSH, CARL YEAGER, GEO. TUMMINS, RALPH HINER.

For County Treasurer: T. W. McHain

For County Attorney: T. R. (Dan) BOONE, T. B. GREENWOOD.

For County Superintendent: W. O. WILLINGHAM, R. M. JOHNSON.

For Justice of the Peace Precinct No. 1: W. E. BROTHERS, JOHN GLEN, W. J. HOWARD.

For Constable Precinct No. 1: R. T. (Tom) PICKETT, HENRY M. ALLEN

For County Commissioner Precinct 1: JOHN P. JACKSON.

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the terrible and speedy certainty of our common fate of suffering and of death make sadder the master-cord of existence. The immortal things are all serious—even sad."

J. G. Anderson, secretary of the Y. M. C. A., announces that those who will take the lead in preparing for the Y. M. C. A. circus to be held here during the afternoon and evening of April the 9th are as follows: Manager of concerts, J. W. Bradley; advertising manager, Frank Collier; manager of juggling and of costumes, R. M. Moore Jr.; manager of parade of apparatus and stage, J. C. Bayer; manager of side shows, Patrick Henry; manager of the menagerie, J. R. Newland; manager of advertising, Lester Jones; ring master, Dr. J. L. McKee. A number of others are taking a prominent part in getting things ready for the two performances and the affair will probably prove to be a success in every way.

LABOR WORLD NOTES.

Emporia, Kansas, has a street fund which is to be applied to giving work to the unemployed.

The American Federation of Musicians will hold its next annual convention on May 29, at Omaha, Neb.

Wages of union workmen generally have increased twenty per cent. in less than three years at Waco, Texas.

At the international convention of the Molders' Union, to be held next May, a mortuary benefit plan is to be considered.

Plumbers at Fort Worth, Texas, have gained an advance of 50 cents a day for this year and will have another 70 cents a day increase for the next two years, signing every shop in the city.

The Wholesale Co-operative Society, with headquarters at Manchester, has procured ground and will erect a shoe factory in Leeds which will employ one thousand persons. The society already has factories in other large cities in England.

Since the insurance feature was re-nudered in 1902 the Pattern Makers' League of North America has paid \$19,077.77 to members whose tools were destroyed. Assessments were levied every year to maintain this fund but as there were \$197.22 in the fund at the close of last year it was decided to skip the assessment for this year.

The Bakers and Confectioners' Union has established a co-operative bakery in Minneapolis.

RAILROAD TIME TABLE

Wichita Falls Route.

Table with columns for Northbound, Southbound, and Newcastles Branch. Lists destinations like Ft. Worth, Dallas, and times.

Fort Worth and Denver City

Table with columns for Northbound, Southbound, and Fort Worth and Denver City. Lists destinations like Ft. Worth, Dallas, and times.

Wichita Valley

Table with columns for Northbound, Southbound, and Wichita Valley. Lists destinations like Ft. Worth, Dallas, and times.

Missouri, Kansas and Texas

Table with columns for Northbound, Southbound, and Missouri, Kansas and Texas. Lists destinations like Ft. Worth, Dallas, and times.

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3. 60x150 foot lot on Seventh street; close in, corner lot.
4. 60x150 foot lot with brick building, on Indiana avenue.
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6. 3 Resident Lots on Seventh street 60x215 ft.
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J. M. BLANKENSHIP, Lawyer, McClukan Building, Phone 472.

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PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS, DR. L. COONS, Dr. R. A. BENNETT, Res. 11; Off. 137, Res. 631, DR. COONS & BENNETT, Physicians and Surgeons, Office 718 Ohio Avenue.

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C. J. PATE, Architect and Superintendent, Office: Room 6 Moore-Bateman Bldg. Phone 905, Wichita Falls, Texas.

White Swan Canned Corn advertisement. Features an illustration of a white swan and a can of corn. Text: 'Really Good Tender skinned, sweet, juicy sugar corn; cut off far enough from the cob to avoid husk, prepared the "home cooked" way; canned by an exceptionally clean, wholesome method—this description almost does justice to White Swan Canned Corn. Nothing but your own eating of it will ever describe the "mouth-watering" deliciousness of this better-than-fresh corn.'

Spirella Corset advertisement. Text: 'A simple house gown looks neat if worn with a Spirella Corset. Fitted to your individual measures brings out beauty lines, subdues irregularities. Let me show you how to wear it, also the Spirella Boning—the "why" of the comfortable, simple-retaining Spirella Corset. Some fitting outfits, send card and no charge. Mrs. Nannie Jenne, Phone 464.'

TIRED OF HIS AMERICAN WIFE

Italian Deputy Seeks to Rid Himself of Texas Bride—Technicalities Reported to.

Paris, March 28.—The case of Vittorio Moschini, the wealthy Italian deputy who is trying to get rid of his wife, formerly Miss Lulu Davis of Austin, Texas, again illustrates the danger of international marriages unless they are safeguarded by expert legal advice. As divorce does not exist in Italy, Moschini seeks to get rid of his wife by bringing a separation suit to make absolute a provisional separation granted in April, 1911, and a suit for the nullification of the marriage based on technical irregularities in the identification papers of Miss Davis at the time of their marriage.

When the Italian lawyers persuaded Moschini's wife to leave Rome last June she visited Trouville and then came to Paris, where she underwent an operation for appendicitis, performed by Doctor Cuneo, one of the two leading surgeons of the city. Doctor Cuneo became interested in her story and advised her to consult Signor Delhoumeau, who, as secretary of the League for the Defense of Individual Liberty, readily undertook to assist her free.

Delhoumeau has just returned from a week's investigation at Rome, where he assured himself that his client was received in the highest society, being a friend of Senator

Greppe, the dean of the world's diplomats; Prince Casafra, and the Marquis Rudini and that she took part in the exclusive Rome fox hunt. M. Delhoumeau, who guaranteed payment of Signora Moschini's bills at hotels at Trouville and Paris in order to obtain the release of her effects, said he had advised her to return to Rome and face the possibility of arrest which was threatened before she left Italy. He said he was glad to take up the case on principle.

"What Signora Moschini's past history was, I do not know," the lawyer said, "but I am certain that nothing can be alleged against her since her marriage. On the other hand Signor Moschini has used his influence as a deputy to have the legal formalities slurred over by allowing the marriage to be hastily performed, without the knowledge of his relatives.

"At the same time he used his wealth to engage twenty-seven leading lawyers, leaving her practically none to choose from. I do not hesitate to say that she was induced to come to Paris in the hope that she would commit some act to strengthen her husband's case. Moschini engaged detectives in Paris to watch her continually."

Fighters Who Meet Tonight.
Frank Moran vs. Tom Kennedy, 10 rounds, at New York.
Dick Hyland vs. Maurice Thompson, 15 rounds, at Butte.

Bananas.
Car load of bananas on Katy track at freight depot. Pedlers wanted to work small towns. 272-34p

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An Offer That Involves No Money Risk if You Accept It.
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Constipation is commonly caused by weakness of the nerves and muscles of the large intestine. To expect a cure you must therefore tone up and strengthen those organs and restore them to healthier activity.

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Illinois leads all the States in liberality in payments of its governors, overtopping even New York. It pays its governors \$12,000 a year, while New York, Ohio, California, Pennsylvania and New Jersey pay \$10,000 each.

Sheldon Lewis and Virginia Pearson, both well known players, were married recently.

SEÑOR FRANCISCO REYNADO



Señor Francisco Reynado, the new minister from the Dominican Republic, is considered one of the most distinguished men of his country and belongs to a political party which is conducting an uplift movement for purely patriotic reasons. To his efforts is ascribed the success of the peaceable settlement of the recent boundary dispute between his country and Haiti.

HOPE TO CONTROL THE U. S. SENATE

FACTIONAL TROUBLE AMONG REPUBLICANS GIVE DEMOCRATS GROUND FOR HOPE.

SOME GROUND FOR HOPE

With New Mexico and Arizona Senators Included That Body Will Be Republicans 53, Democrats 44.

Washington, D. C., March 28.—The Democratic gains of last fall, coupled with the factional troubles within the Republican ranks, has given rise to a feeling of expectation among the Democratic leaders that they will not only increase their majority in the House but will gain control of the Senate, as a result of the elections to be held next November.

A margin of only five votes now exists between the two parties in the Senate. The appearance of four new senators, two from New Mexico and two from Arizona, does not help either party, for New Mexico is sending up two Republicans and Arizona two Democrats. With the arrival of these four senators the upper branch will stand as follows: Republicans 51, Democrats 44, Vacancies 1. The vacancy is in the State of Colorado, where Senator Charles J. Hughes died, thus costing the Democracy one of its ablest members, and the legislature, although Democratic, could not get together on a man before its adjournment.

On March 3 next, thirty senators will retire to private life if they have not meanwhile been re-elected by the legislatures of their several States. The outgoing list numbers seventeen Republicans and thirteen Democrats. Among them are some of the most influential members of the upper house, on the Democratic side as well as on the Republican side.

The seventeen Republicans are: Messrs. Cullom of Illinois, Nelson of Minnesota, Richardson of Delaware, Westmore of Rhode Island, Warren of Wyoming, Smith of Michigan, Kenyon of Iowa, Guggenheim of Colorado, Gamble of South Dakota, Dixon of Montana, Curtis of Kansas, Crane of Massachusetts, Burnham of New Hampshire, Brown of Nebraska, Briggs of New Jersey, Bourne of Oregon and Borah of Idaho.

The Democratic senators whose terms will expire next March are: Davis of Arkansas, Bacon of Georgia, Paynter of Kentucky, Foster of Louisiana, Gardner of Maine, Percy of Mississippi, Simmons of North Carolina, Owens of Oklahoma, Tillman of South Carolina, Taylor of Tennessee, Bailey of Texas, Martin of Virginia and Watson of West Virginia.

Of the thirteen Democrats, several are already assured of re-election and of the remainder the majority are certain to be succeeded by Democrats. Maine and West Virginia are the only two States in which there appears to be a possibility of the present Democratic senators being succeeded by Republicans. The

Republicans in Maine believe that the Democrats, despite their victory of last year, will not be able to elect the legislature this fall. Failure to control the legislature will mean the retirement of Senator Gardner, who was appointed by the Democratic governor of the Pine Tree State to fill out the term of the late Senator Frye. In West Virginia, which is normally a Republican State, the leaders of that party are hopeful that they will be able to unseat Senator Watson, who is filling the vacancy caused by the death of Senator Elkins, and who must come up for re-election next winter.

The possible gains on the Democratic side of the senate are believed to be considerably in excess of their possible losses. First of all, they are confidently counting on a Democratic senator to succeed Guggenheim of Colorado, who will not be a candidate for re-election. The last Colorado legislature was Democratic and the Democrats believe the next one will be of the same complexion. Another Democratic gain is expected to be contributed by the neighboring State of Wyoming, as a result of the serious split between the insurgent and standpat Republicans.

Two other Republican senators whom the Democrats hope to supplant are Dixon of Montana and Richardson of Delaware. The fight between the Republican factions in Idaho makes that State interesting ground. The indications are that Senator Borah will have no opposition for the Republican nomination, but the activity of the Democrats and their success in electing the governor last year makes it appear that a Democratic successor to Mr. Borah is among the possibilities. New Jersey which will choose a successor to Senator Briggs, is also regarded by the Democrats as hopeful ground, particularly if Governor Woodrow Wilson is the Democratic candidate for President.

Bowman Items.
Mrs. J. M. Culley of Kansas is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Decker.

Frank Block who has been quite ill, is now convalescent.

Prof. T. E. Williams passed through here Saturday.

A program will be rendered by the Bowman Literary Society Friday night. All friends cordially invited.

There are good prospects for the farmers to lease their land for oil. They have had several offers but are not going to lease until they get a square deal.

While Bohn of Chicago, is visiting relatives here.

Fred Decker spent Monday and Tuesday with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bohn were Wichita visitors Tuesday.

T. B. Taylor and G. R. Decker made a trip to Wichita in behalf of the oil interests Tuesday.

Prospects for good crops are better than they have been for several years and everyone is feeling jubilant.

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Emil Seidel, Socialist Mayor of Milwaukee, and Fusion Candidate Who Contests His Re-election.



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Eddie Foy is to write his memoirs of the stage.

CANADA OPPOSES CHICAGO PLAN

Washington, D. C., March 27.—The Dominion of Canada, as represented by delegates from the Provincial Governments of Ontario and Quebec and the commercial, manufacturing and marine organizations of many of the chief cities, appeared in battle array before Secretary of War Stimson today to oppose the plan to increase the flow of water through the Chicago Drainage Canal. The official and commercial delegations were reinforced by eminent Canadian counsel.

At the outset of the hearing it became apparent that Canada intends to make a vigorous fight for what she considers her rights. The trouble is all over an application of the Drainage Commission of the district of Chicago for an increase in the amount of water that they shall be allowed to take from Lake Michigan for drainage purposes. At present the amount is 4,000 cubic feet per second. They want this increased to 10,000 cubic feet and the reason alleged is for the purpose of increasing the drainage system. In behalf of the proposal it is argued that the project affects no less than 2,500,000 people included in the drainage district and that it is absolutely necessary to their health and safety to increase the drainage flow, at least until some other satisfactory means is found for disposing of the sewage. The Canadian objections, which are shared by Michigan and other States bordering on the Great Lakes, are based on the belief that the lowering of the lake levels would seriously affect the shipping interests and sanitation of many cities.

The treaty between the United States and Canada permits the water of the lakes to be used for drainage systems, but it is alleged that although the application is being made under this guise, Chicago's real purpose is to get enough water for power development.

Memorial to Wade Hampton. Charleston, S. C., March 28.—An imposing monument in memory of General Wade Hampton, a gift to the City of Charleston by the local chapter of the Daughters of the Confederacy, was unveiled today, on the ninety-fourth anniversary of the birth of the distinguished South Carolina soldier and statesman. The monument occupies a conspicuous site in Marion Square. The unveiling was accompanied with interesting but modest ceremonies. The oration of the day was delivered by Dr. S. C. Mitchell, president of the University of South Carolina.

BASEBALL NOTES.

- American Association opens April 10; closes Sept. 23.
- American League opens April 11; closes Oct. 6.
- Appalachian League opens May 16; closes Sept. 7.
- Blue Grass League opens May 1; closes Sept. 4.
- Canadian League opens May 14; closes Sept. 2.
- Carolina Association opens April 25; closes Sept. 2.
- Central Association opens May 1; closes Sept. 2.
- Connecticut League opens April 26; closes Sept. 15.
- Cotton States League opens April 11; closes Aug. 28.
- International League opens April 18; closes Sept. 22.
- Kitty League opens May 28; closes Sept. 28.
- Mid-Continent League opens April 23; closes Sept. 2.
- Mid-Coast League opens June 1; closes Sept. 2.
- National League opens April 11; closes Oct. 6.
- New England League opens April 19; closes Sept. 7.
- New York State League opens April 25; closes Sept. 8.
- Northwestern League opens April 16; closes Sept. 29.
- Ohio-Pennsylvania League opens April 24; closes Sept. 8.
- Pacific Coast League opens April 2; closes Oct. 27.
- South Atlantic League opens April 18; closes Sept. 2.
- Southeastern League opens April 15; closes Aug. 24.
- Southern League opens April 11; closes Sept. 15.
- Southern Michigan League opens May 8; closes Sept. 8.
- Texas League opens April 12; closes Sept. 2.
- Texas-Oklahoma League opens April 25; closes Aug. 24.
- Three-I League opens May 1; closes Sept. 8.
- Tri-State League opens May 1; closes Sept. 4.
- United States League opens May 1; closes Sept. 20.
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WORLD QUEST FOR HER LOST SON

Carson Long of Chicago May Have Been Shanghaied—Father Offers \$5000 Reward.

Chicago, Ill., March 28.—Through an appeal to the State Department at Washington, a world-wide search has been begun for Carson Long, son of Alderman Theodore K. Long, who disappeared March 4 at North Yakima, Wash.

Alderman Long has offered a reward of \$5,000 for information leading to the recovery of his son, and will start for North Yakima to take personal charge of the search. It is feared that young Long, who is powerful and athletic, has been shanghaied and is on high seas, either aboard a whaler or sealer, or a merchantman bound for some Oriental port.

With this idea in view the State Department has been requested to instruct United States consuls at all foreign ports for which vessels have cleared from the Northwest ports to search those vessels on their arrival. Carson Long had recently become engaged to marry Miss Geraldine Shaw of Eau Claire, Wis., daughter of Eugene Shaw, a wealthy lumberman of that city. She has been prostrated ever since learning of Long's disappearance.

"There is absolutely no normal hypothesis to account for his disappearance," Alderman Long said. "I learn that on his arrival at North Yakima after a visit home and to Miss Shaw, he complained of a violent headache and obtained some headache powders from a drug store, which he took.

"The following day he still complained of a headache, and after breakfast, started for a walk, saying that he would return for luncheon. He went in the direction of the Naches River and has not been seen since.

"I am informed by the Cascade Lumber Company of North Yakima, for which he had worked two years, that the river has been eliminated as a factor in his disappearance. 'It is shallow and at this time of year a man would have to lie down to drown.' Besides, the lumber company has had five hundred men out searching for him, and the river has been inspected on foot for ninety miles.

"I know that my son was not a drinking man, and I also am certain that his accounts are correct in every way. I find that he has a personal account, untouched of \$1,500 in the Illinois Trust and Savings Bank in Chicago, and another untouched per-



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Mabel Taliaferro is to appear in a Louisville playlet called "Taken on Credit."

PERSONAL MENTION

Sheriff R. L. Randolph left this afternoon for Dallas, on official business.

Dr. L. Mackechney left this afternoon for Holliday on professional business.

Attorney A. A. Hughes returned last night from Fort Worth, after a short stay there on business.

William Idon, a merchant of Electra, made a business trip to this city today.

S. Walkup, constable at Electra, made a trip here on official business today.

B. D. Herring, an oil driller of many years experience who in company with Mr. Kerwin, is drilling the well near Bacon, is in the city today.

J. W. Maxwell, a land dealer and real estate operator of Gainesville, left this morning for his home.

T. T. Reece returned this morning from a trip to Petrolia, where he went to view the Developer Company's oil well.

Mrs. S. S. Durland, after visiting her son, C. V. Durland for a few days, left this afternoon for her home in Denton.

J. A. Green, a citizen of Burkburnett, after remaining in this city for a few days on business, left this afternoon for Holliday.

Major Trice, an oil well contractor who has been connected with the drilling of the Honaker well at Electra, arrived here today on business from that place.

P. O. Laughner of Pittsburg, Penn., one of the most prominent oil men interested in the development of this section, is in the city looking after his interests.

George L. Woodward, who owns a large ranch near Electra, returned here this morning, after making an automobile trip to his ranch. He left the machine stranded in the mud near Electra.

W. B. Shepperd, traveling freight and passenger agent for the Port Worth and Denver returned this afternoon from Seymour, Munday, Haskell, and number of other points on the Wichita Valley, where he has been on company business.

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Miss Bertie Smith, aged nineteen years succumbed to meningitis Wednesday evening at about six o'clock after lingering at the point of death throughout the day. The funeral will be held at Riverside cemetery at four o'clock this afternoon.

Mr. Smith's mother continues very low, but Mrs. Smith who was almost prostrated at her daughter's condition yesterday was better this morning.

The dead girl was very popular and hundreds of friends sympathize with the family in their bereavement and the misfortunes that have come upon them.

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A transfer of the oil lease on the Loyd and Burnett tract near Electra from C. J. Green to O. H. Chapman was recorded yesterday. Fifteen thousand carpenters in Chicago have voted to strike for an increase in wages on April 1. The result of the recent referendum vote showed that the offer of the contractors to pay a scale of 62 1/2 cents an hour had been rejected. The men insist upon their demand of 65 cents for the next three years.

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FLYNN MAKING NOISE LIKE REAL CHAMPION

St. Louis, Mo., March 26.—James Flynn, Pueblo fireman, who is exhibiting himself and his thews and sinews at a local show house, may not be a champion, but he can make a noise like one. When James blocks in on you he gives an imitation of a searchlight, being illuminated by several eye-blinding rocks. In addition, he wears an unshaved Alredale hat, carries a motor car in his equipment and does other things that sound like the title holder.

James can make other noises, some of them-sounding like real arguments, as to why he is as well as appears in the external a future champion. For example, face a few of these arguments in his own favor which he slides off with well-practiced ease: "I am not a white hope, because I was fighting before they were looking for men to beat Johnson," said Flynn in his dressing room at the Standard Theatre. "But I have beaten all the men who have been picked as possible conquerors of the champion and for that reason believe I should be conceded a chance against him."

"Ten of my last 11 fights have been knockouts and most of these against men who outweighed me from 25 to 75 pounds. I certainly am an improved fighter over what I was several years ago, as I have come back and defeated men who scored victories over me in past years."

"The public didn't concede Jim Corbett a chance against John L. Sullivan. Neither did it think that Fitzsimmons could defeat Corbett. They also picked Jim Jeffries as the winner over Johnson. But the public's choice in every one of these fights proved the fover and I believe that the same thing will happen when I meet Johnson."

"I have also sized up the situation among the good black fighters. Old Peter Jackson, Joe Gans, George Dixon and Joe Walcott all went bad, trying to hit up the pace. These colored fellows can't stand prosperity and the same thing goes for Johnson. "Because he defeated Jeffries does not necessarily stamp Johnson as a wonderful fighter. I'll admit that he's a clever boxer, owns a stiff punch and has a great advantage in size and reach. But I am sure that had any other big man, or a good little man for that reason, fought Jeffries the same day he met Johnson, Jeff's opponent would have become the world's champion."

Flynn now weighs 180 pounds, the same notch that he hopes to be when he climbs through the ropes to meet Johnson. That's 20 pounds more than he has ever weighed for a fight, but he claims that he has systematically built himself up to the figure and doesn't expect it to slow him down or handicap him.

Flynn is here with Al Williams, a 227-pound fighter, whom he has knocked out twice. Williams is his sparring partner and they go three lively rounds each afternoon and evening. They are here alone, as Jack Curley, Flynn's manager, left the pair in Kansas City for Juarez, Mexico, which has put in a bid for the battle.

Flynn says he doesn't know where the bout will be held, but that Salt Lake City, several towns in Nevada and one in New Mexico, besides Juarez are bidding for it. The date and place will have to be decided upon before May 1, according to the articles of agreement. If Curley is unable to announce at that time where and when the bout is to be staged, he will forfeit \$10,000 to the boxers.

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